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Washington, DC 20231

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for examination,
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims for corresponding claims previously
presented. A copy of the amended claims showing current revisions is attached.

3. (Amended) The method of working a glass plate according to claim 1, wherein the glass plate
is bent in a downwardly convex shape.

4. (Amended) The method of working a glass plate according to claim 1, wherein the glass plate
is bent in an upwardly convex shape.

5. (Amended) The method of working a glass plate according to claim 1, wherein one surface of
the glass plate is coated.

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